



## R. ROBERT GEAKE

### 9th Senatorial District



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**Committees:** Appropriations (Vice Chair) (Subcommittees: Capital Outlay; Community Health (Chair); Family Independence Agency (Chair); Regulatory); Families, Mental Health and Human Services; Judiciary; Senate Fiscal Agency Governing Board

**Biography:** Republican, of Northville; born October 26, 1936, at Detroit; B.S. special education, M.A. guidance and counseling, and Ph.D. education and psychology, all from University of Michigan; married to the former Carol L. Rens of Grand Rapids, 1962; children: Roger Rens, Tamara Lynne, and William Rens; educational psychologist; elected trustee at large Schoolcraft Community College in 1969 and subsequently elected chairman; Presbyterian; National Education Association, life member, American and Michigan Psychological Associations; member, Northville Rotary Club and several historical and genealogical societies; elected to the House of Representatives, 1972, 1974, and 1976; elected to the State Senate March 23, 1977 and reelected in 1978, 1982, 1986, 1990, and 1994.

